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FURY OF THE STORM.

Much Damage Caused by Flood and Lightning.

SEVERAL FATALITIES REPORTED.

Small Towns in Illinois Fired by Lightning and Completely Wiped Out—The Storm Especially Severe in Eastern Pennsylvania

BETHLEHEM Pa Sept 10 —An area of one square mile suffered from Saturday night's cloudburst The cloud was triangular in shape and emptied its contents right over Monocacy valley, in the very center of the three Bethlehems The flood reached the second story of houses on Goeppe street Spruce street, Old Bethlehem; Spring street West Bethlehem, and Second street, in South Bethlehem The damage to private property is estimated at $50,000 and to sewers and highways $10,000 That no lives were lost is a miracle. The people in the flooded district are very poor and are suffering for want of assistance During the storm lightning struck the residence of President Wilbur, of the Lehigh Valley railroad, the municipal building and Troxell's furniture store doing little damage, however.

The funeral cortege of the late Mrs. William Shimer was caught in the storm, returning from the grave. The horses took fright at the pelting rain and ran away Mrs Jacob T Shimer, of West Bethlehem, had her arm and shoulder fractured, and Mrs Curtis, who was picked up unconscious, is in a precarious condition

DE KALB, Ills, Sept. 10. — Lightning played havoc among the various small towns of this section on Saturday night. As a result the business portion of Malta, a small town of 600 inhabitants, is in ashes with losses aggregating $50,000. The little settlement of Henrietta was also visited by lightning and completely wiped out The loss will not prove very extensive. At Caledonia four buildings were struck at different times and each destroyed At Esmhurst a big barn was struck and totally destroyed The people had hard work to save the school house, situated near by Rockford came in for its share of the flames and in that town three fires were caused by lightning. At Belvidere a physician's stable was struck and consumed together with two horses Huntley suffered the loss of three buildings, one of which was a stable In the latter instance four horses were cremated. At Herbert two barns were burned.

NEW YORK, Sept — The rain storm here was unusually severe The Third avenue cable road was tied up by an accident damaged trains on the Brooklyn bridge. The latter was the heaviest of the year, and rolling to the inches William Smith, a fisherman, was killed at Newark Bay by lightning Lightning also struck the Methodist church in the latter city and set the roof afire The Atlantic Highlands to the city Lower Manhattan was partly submerged, and the passengers were all transferred for a few minutes

TROY N Y Sept — The heavy rainfall here was accompanied by very severe lightning Two barns, those of Enoch Crandall and William Smith, were struck and burned The latter with [illegible] Charles Pier in Mechanic Park was struck and damaged

CHICAGO Sept — During the heavy rainstorm which visited the city last night a bolt struck the roof of the Fifty-sixth street car barns, killing Charles Ritter and probably fatally injuring Frank Smith An arc was formed in the bridge A number of residents were also struck by lightning but neither fatalities are reported

PLATTSBURG, Wis., Sept 10—Never has Plattsville been visited by such a severe hailstorm as struck this city. Hail as large as walnuts fell for about an hour, breaking window panes, completely demolishing sky lights and leaving crops and cornfields devastated as though a cyclone had struck them

READING, Pa., Sept 10—During the heavy storm of Saturday night a new two story school building in this city was undermined by the rush of water and collapsed Mrs James Sallade and John Grandi were struck by lightning and rendered in a state of total paralysis for two hours They will recover

GREENSBURG Pa Sept 10—During the heavy thunderstorm lightning struck the barn of a horse at Jeannette, fatally injuring Mrs Mahoney her daughter Maggie and Mrs Kretz, a visitor The women are still living but are completely paralyzed

RICHMOND Va Sept 10—The Big Moscow bridge over the river at Moscow was wrecked by the cyclone Saturday night Several houses were blown down and burned

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THE WAR IN THE ORIENT.

The Japanese Commander Gives His Reasons for Firing on the Kow Shing.

VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 10—The Northern Pacific liner Sikh, from Yokohama, brings interesting advices of the war in the Orient. The reason given by the commander of the Japanese warship Naniwa Kan, when asked why he fired upon the Kow Shing, seeing she was flying the British flag, is now given for the first time, and is certainly pertinent: "Because she was sailing under false colors, was carrying Chinese troops and had been sold to the Chinese government and fully paid for."

Notwithstanding this explanation, the same party which gives it publicity announces that the sum of $750,000 has been agreed to by the Japanese government as reparation for the sinking of Captain Galworthy's vessel, and compensation to those dependent upon the Europeans lost with her

Both China and Japan are at present keenly alert for articles contraband of war The Sikh was cleared at Shanghai by a Chinese gunboat, which made an effort to gain possession of the rice portion of her cargo The British consul objected and the merchantman was allowed to proceed

China is now hurrying an army of hundreds of thousands of men through northern China to Corea, but as they are subsisting on the products of the country through which they are passing, and most of it is mountainous, it is hard to say what success they will have The Chinese have been offering great inducements to Europeans and Americans to enter their service, and have secured many. On the other hand the Japanese have no outsiders in any branch of the service.

At Foo Chow a big eighty-ton gun burst, killing several men It was the largest gun in the fort

LONDON, Sept 10—The correspondent of The Times at Shanghai telegraphs as follows: An extraordinary mission has arrived at Tientsin conveying birthday presents from the king of Corea to the dowager empress of China The mission will proceed to Pekin A collision between Chinese and Japanese forces occurred near Ping Yang on Sept 7 The result is not known. The United States warship Monocacy has arrived at Tientsin The war news which has been received at Tientsin thus far is considered worthless

Yesterday's Fatalities at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Sept 10—Three fatalities occurred in this city yesterday Harry L. Hassler, of Chambersburg, a printer employed at the state printing house, was found dead in his room, having been asphyxiated by escaping gas It is supposed that he committed suicide John Roche, a bartender, fell out of a third story window at the Dauphin House and fractured his skull, causing his death a few hours later. The third case was that of Charles Bretz, an employe of the power house of the East Harrisburg Railway Company, who was killed by coming in contact with a live wire

A Sunstroke's Fatal Shot

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept —Samuel R. [illegible], a fatality occurred early

Affairs in Morocco.

NEW YORK, Sept 10 —A special dispatch to The World from Tangier, Morocco, says: Information comes from Fez, one of the capitals of the Empire of Morocco, and also its most [illegible] Muley Mohammed, the only son and the eldest son of the late sultan Muley Hassan, has been proclaimed sultan [illegible] emperor at Morocco City another capital, by the formidable rebel tribes of the south The rebel tribes threatened to besiege Fez unless the present seat of government, headquarters of the [illegible] Abdul Aziz The revolt is spreading

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MOVING ON TO PITTSBURG.

Thousands Flocking There to Attend the G. A. R. Encampment.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 10 —"Comrades" and friends have been flocking into Pittsburg all day, taking complete possession of the city The universal comment of the visitors regarding the decorations and display of patriotism, is that at no time in the past at an encampment has Pittsburg been outdone. The display is lavish, and in the majority of cases, neat and tasty.

Among the noted arrivals are two men from Honolulu They represent the full membership of the G. A. R. in Hawaii, and were determined to be present at the last encampment which they would likely enjoy

Governor Pattison and staff arrived this morning

The first fatality among the veterans to be reported is the sudden death of Comrade Louis Treaster, of McClure, Snyder county, Pa He was a member of Post 255 On arrival at the post headquarters Treaster was completely exhausted and died of weak heart in five minutes after reaching the building. The remains were taken charge of by friends and will be sent to McClure.

STORY OF WHOLESALE MURDER

Farm Laborers Killed and Their Bodies Robbed by Thier Employers.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept 10.—A story of wholesale murder comes from Poganovka, a village of Samara. Eight farmers living near the village employed twenty-one laborers to help sow their land. The laborers performed their work satisfactorily and were paid the stipulated money. The farmers then conspired to get the money back, and finally decided that their only way of doing so would be to kill the laborers. While the later were enjoying a siesta together they were set upon by the farmers and all killed. The farmers then robbed the bodies and buried them. The absence of the laborers aroused suspicion, and the police investigation led to the speedy arrest of the eight murderers.

Two Rescued from the Surf.

ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 10.—Miss Fannie Brylawski, aged 18 years, a guest at the Oceanic hotel, at the foot of Mississippi avenue, was saved from drowning in front of her hotel by the heroism of Thomas Foley.

CAPE MAY, Sept 10—Mrs James S. Carstairs, of Philadelphia, was rescued from the surf in a semi-conscious condition. She was brought ashore by a number of gentlemen who heard her cries for help.

Picked Up at Sea.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 10—Captain Moore, of steamer Sedgemore, reports that he picked up two men in a dory belonging to fishing vessel L. H. B., of St. Malo, France. They had become lost from their vessel during a fog, and had been drifting seven days without food and water They were in an exhausted condition when rescued and had to be lifted on board Their names are Jean Marie Brotete aged 22 and Allen Marie Anne Francois aged 17

Still Finding Forest Fire Victims.

HANCOCK, Mich., Sept 10—Coroner Cowan and party went to Sand-stone yesterday, with nothing short of eighty bodies Five more bodies were found in a cellar on the west bank north of Kettle river and were buried where found It is believed here that the death list in Pine county will exceed one hundred Nothing like 500 are [illegible] Sunday to Carlton County [illegible]

Charged with Robbing Postoffice.

WILKESBARRE, Pa Sept 10—Agent of the Post [illegible] arrested Anthony Kindrick Tom Berg and Max Bargeat at Alden They are charged with breaking into a number of postoffices in Luzerne, Columbia and other counties. The prisoners were brought to Wilkesbarre and lodged in jail

Thrown Headlong from a Horse.

YORK, Pa, Sept 10—Samuel Keller youngest son of Joseph Keller mounted a horse and started on a field to drive the cattle home While riding at a rapid rate the horse made a sudden stop, throwing young Keller heading, striking his head on a large stone He is dangerously and possibly fatally injured

Charged with Incendiarism

ASHLAND Wis, Sept — Michael Roesler has been arrested and brought to Ashland from Marengo on a charge of setting fire to forests, causing the loss of eight lives at High Bridge He was bound over for trial and lodged in jail The feeling is unusually bitter against him.

Legs Mangled by Car Wheels.

PORTSMITH, Pa Sept 10—Elmer Freshafer, a fireman employed at Cressona, while attempting to board an engine which was backing, fell under the wheels. Both legs were entirely crushed He died while being taken to the hospital

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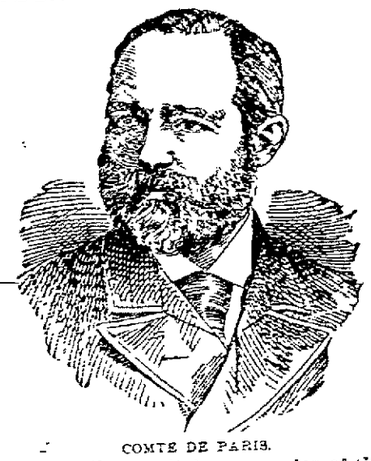
END OF A LIFE OF EXILE

The Comte de Paris Passes Away at Stowe House.

HE FOUGHT UNDER M'CLELLAN.

His Gallant Services Won America's Gratitude—Twice Driven Into Exile by His Country—A Historian of the Great Rebellion.

LONDON, Sept. 10—The funeral of the Comte de Paris, who died at Stowe House on Saturday, will take place on Wednesday at Weybridge At Weybridge there is a Roman Catholic chapel in which the bodies of Louis Philippe and his wife were placed before being transferred to Dreux. It is now believed that the body of the



COMTE DE PARIS.

Comte de Paris will, by permission of the French government, be eventually transported to Dreux At Weybridge the remains of the Comtesse de Nemours, wife of the Duc de Nemours, uncle of the Comte, are buried

The last sacrament was administered to the Comte de Paris by Mgr Abulst, rector of the Catholic institute at Paris, whose mother was one of the ladies in waiting upon the wife of Louis Philippe.

A very large number of messages were dispatched from Stowe House after the death of the Comte de Paris to distant relatives and friends A telegraphic message was received from a number of French Royalists who met and prayed for the then dying man in the old cathedral of Laval, capital of the Department of Mayenne, saying, "Present to Monsignor le Duc d Orleans and Madame la Comtesse de Paris our respectful homage."

The wording of this message putting the name of the Duke of Orleans, eldest son of the Comte de Paris, first shows, it is claimed, that the Royalists of France already regard the Duke of Orleans as king of France Therefore, however, two other pretenders to the throne of France—Don Carlos, Duke of Madrid and General de Bourbon, who [illegible] Duke of Aosta and who claims the throne Their pretensions, it may be added are ridiculed by the press and public of even royalist France

The death scene was most touching The Comtesse de Paris closed her husband's eyes and all the princes and princesses in the room of their rank stepped forward and kissed the Land of the dead [illegible]

The [illegible] Comte de Paris returned to the [illegible] the dead The train carrying [illegible] the arch at the entrance of the [illegible] House was last made [illegible] after the Comte's death

The Comte de Paris was born August 24 1838 When [illegible] but 4 years old his father was killed in a carriage accident In early infancy his mother led him and his brother into the chamber of deputies, only to be expelled therefrom amid great confusion. Compelled to flee, they found refuge at Eisenach in a country house belonging the Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimar

They subsequently joined the exiled king and queen in England On the death of Louis Philippe in 1850 the comte became the pretender to the French throne. He was educated under the supervision of his mother, who died while he was in his 20th year. Visiting Spain soon afterward he for the first time saw his cousin and future wife, Marie Isabelle, daughter of Duc de Montpensier

Accompanied on his brother, the Duke de Chartres, his uncle, Prince de Joinville, and his cousin, Pierre Philippe, Duc de Penthievre, the comte came to this country, arriving Sept 14, 1861. The rebellion was well under way and waiting employment. Although the intentions of [illegible] were then not generally known he received [illegible] on a tour of [illegible] seeing with much [illegible] Returning from [illegible] the [illegible] of the Union, he presented [illegible] under the auspices of the Philadelphia [illegible] and was received with the [illegible] Duke de Chartres [illegible] the general staff [illegible] Meade's service and [illegible] Assigned with [illegible] was [illegible] Horace [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] Prince was [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] but it was [illegible] [illegible] wives, he [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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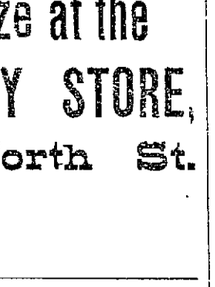

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DR. KOCH'S DISCOVERIES

Career of the Great Bacteriologist Who Believes He Can Cure Diphtheria.

Dr. Robert Koch, who is reported to have discovered a lymph or antitoxine that will cure diphtheria provided it is applied within 36 hours, is the same Dr. Koch who created a great sensation in 1890 by announcing that he had found a sure cure for consumption. It was a fluid which, if injected, would destroy the bacilli which are the cause of consumption without destroying the patient. The consumption cure was effective in some cases, but it was useless in many others and is generally regarded as one of the failures of a most remarkable man. Whether the diphtheria cure will share the same fate remains to be seen. New York physicians believe in its efficacy, and Dr. Cyrus Edson has asked the state board of health for an appropriation of $6,000 to carry on experimental work on the lines indicated by Dr. Koch.

DR. ROBERT KOCH.

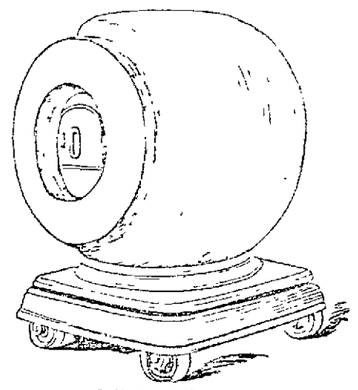
The great German bacteriologist was born in Clausthal in the Harz mountains, Dec. 11, 1843. He was a precocious student and was graduated from the University of Gottingen in 1866 and then became an assistant in the Hamburg hospital. From 1872 until 1880 he was medical inspector at Wartstein, where he began his bacteriologic examinations of infectious and made such important discoveries that he was made a member of the imperial board of health of Berlin. In 1882 he discovered the bacillus of tuberculosis and a year later led the German cholera expedition to Egypt and India, where he discovered that the cholera bacillus was the real source of cholera poison.

Upon his return to Germany in 1884 he was honored by a donation of 100,000 marks and was the lion of the hour. The following year he was elected professor of the medical faculty of Berlin and director of the new hygienic institute of the university. He has six brothers and two married sisters now living in the United States and Mexico. Dr. Koch's custom is to rise about 9 o'clock and work until 2, when he enjoys a meal. He then devotes four more hours to the study of bacilli. In the evening he entertains his friends. Last year he received $12,000 as a discovery and he was offered by the government one-fourth of his income. The doctor then married a young actress.

IT LOOKS LIKE A BIG BOMB.

The Queer Looking Safe That Was Used In Chicago During the Riots.

During the recent riots in Chicago, when no man knew what an hour might bring forth, and when financiers who had large sums of money on hand feared for the safety of their gold, a queer looking ball of great size, which looked much like a gigantic bombshell, was



THE BOMBLIKE SAFE.

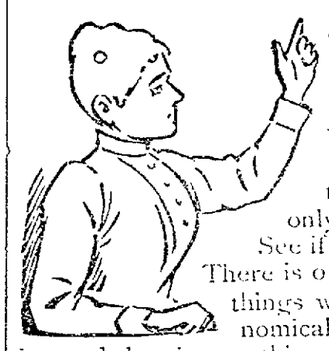
laboriously trundled into one of the city's banks. It was a safe designed for use in just such troublous times as the city was then experiencing, but it was such an odd contrivance that one unacquainted with its use would have guessed several times before he described it properly.

The safe was alleged to be burglar proof, fireproof, and, what was most important just then, mobproof. It was composed of two spheres, one revolving inside the other, and when closed it seemed to be a fortress that would guard any treasure not occupying over 50 cubic feet of space against all comers for an indefinite period. It was simply an immense iron bomb, against which the rioter's bomb and the anarchist's bomb could crack themselves in vain. If the members of a mob attempted to carry it away, too, they would find it an elephant on their hands, for the reason that it tipped the scales at the comfortable weight of 16½ tons.

When the monster guardian of gold was in its place in the bank and had tucked away inside of it about 50 cubic feet of gold, silver, paper money and securities, two officials of the bank locked it fast. The safe is said to be the largest movable one ever made, and it is alleged that government experts have tried in vain to open it, and that Uncle Sam will place vaults of the same style of construction in the treasury building in Washington, where so many precautions were taken not long ago to guard the government's gold when the commonwealth army was marching upon the capital from all points of the compass. To all appearance, the big bomblike safe is made of cast iron or cast steel covered with a coating of wrought iron.

The Irish Bachelor.

Cecil Rhodes, the millionaire diamond king and political boss of South Africa, is not only a bachelor, but he has never even had a love affair. He has had no time for such things. He is personal and domestic staff. All of his subordinates who marry are dismissed. Marriage spoils a boer's or a Kaffir's temper—destroys "the boss of all," as his boys call him.



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MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson: I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did, to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess.

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways: here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy and secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history. The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent per annum.

By order Board of Directors

SEYMOUR DeWITT, Cashier.

TROUBLE IN HIGH LIFE.

The Grandson of Sir Robert Peel Criticised For Courting Newspaper Notoriety.

"Bobby" Peel, about as well known a young fellow about town as London ever produced, has come over here with the avowed determination to marry Miss Kittie Sanford, the daughter of the Adams Express Sanfords, who are of course awfully rich.

These are the same Sanfords whose action ruined John Hoey, and who have pursued the remnants of his estate with singular persistency.

Young Bobby Peel's ambition is a very laudable one, as Miss Sanford is a very pretty and accomplished girl and an heiress to boot, and better than all has evinced a very decided partiality for Mr. Peel.

At the same time many old fashioned people will object to the methods employed by Peel to overcome the opposition of Miss Sanford's family.

He has taken the newspapers into his confidence and makes long statement about his own worthiness and undying love and calls his sought after relatives all kinds of names for denying his suit.

It is doubtful if he would try such a game at home in England.

If young Peel really loves Miss Sanford as he declares he does (in the newspapers), it would be more dignified for him to keep her name out of public journals.

Love is a passion that needs no advertising, and a sweetheart's name is not the one to be bandied about in daily print.

If young Peel loves Miss Sanford as much without as with her prospective fortune, he can elope with her at any time—provided she is willing.

Love laughs at locks and bars, but grows cold under newspaper interviews and long winded statements.

Another alternative also presents itself to Mr. Peel.

If he loves Miss Sanford as much as he says he does on paper, why cannot he settle down and do something to prove his love?

The Sanfords object to him because he has been a mere do well and has cost his father a lot of money to keep him going in the society in which he is entitled to live.

But I shall offer my advice to Bobby is to keep out of the newspapers.

It would be simply horrible if he publish some of Miss Sanford's letters to prove how she loves him. Yet he seemed to be just on the verge of such insanity yesterday.—Cincinnati Enquirer to Boston Record and New York Recorder.

KOCH'S LATEST DISCOVERY.

Dr. Edson of New York's Board of Health Says It Is a Sure Cure For Diphtheria.

At a recent session of the state board of health of New York Dr. Cyrus A. Edson gave an account of the theory and practical application of Dr. Koch's last discovery, which he considers an absolute and infallible cure for diphtheria if applied within 36 hours after infection. To study and report upon this remedy Dr. Herman M. Biggs, the bacteriologist of the New York board of health, had been sent to Berlin and had just returned, conversing all the enthusiastic reports concerning the discovery which had made their way to this country.

It was the purpose of the health department, Dr. Edson announced, to ask from the board of estimate and apportionment a sufficient appropriation to establish a plant for the production of this infallible specific, which otherwise would be too costly to be within the means of poor people. Dr. Edson asserted confidently that if this remedy were placed in the hands of the health department it would save next year the lives of 1,500 people in this city.

The division of pathology and bacteriology at 42 Bleecker street gave an exhibition of specimens of bacteria under the direction of Dr. Biggs. Autopsies were made upon two guinea pigs which had been inoculated with diphtheria bacilli. The result showed that the guinea pigs had developed the disease.

The purpose of the exhibition was principally to encourage the medical profession to devote particular attention to their investigations of diphtheritic and consumption cases.

Kissing the Pope's Toe.

Our old friend, Felix Campbell, one of Brooklyn's intelligent representatives in congress, has been honored with an interview with the pope, and when asked if he kissed the pope's toe he laughed and said, "I guess that's not done much nowadays." Brother Campbell is mistaken. It is just as much done as ever. In other words, it never was done. The pope wears on his slipper a gold cross, and this it is customary with the faithful to kiss. I was surprised to learn that the pope conversed with Brother Campbell's daughters in French. The custom is for him to address those whom he honors with private audiences in Italian, which is translated always by an interpreter.—Joe Howard.

Our National Air.

In reading accounts of the yacht races I noticed that the English bands could not play an American national air because "God Save the Queen" and "America" were the same. I have never found the reason why "The Star Spangled Banner" should not be our national air. I have heard them all played by the best bands in the country, and there is none which sends a thrill of gratitude at being an American through me so as that grand finale:

And the star spangled banner in triumph does wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

—Carlos in Boston Traveler.

Monkeys Can Smoke.

The question whether monkeys can smoke has been settled in the affirmative at the Jardin des Plantes, Paris, where mischievous boys have taught several occupants of the monkey house to smoke cigarettes, which they grow to enjoy hugely.

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and "used-up" feeling is the first warning that your liver isn't doing its work. With a torpid liver and the impure blood that follows it, you're an easy prey to all sorts of ailments. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures every one of them.

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MRS. BRANSFORD.

I can truthfully say that I believe your Golden Medical Discovery saved my life. When I began your treatment two years ago, I had been given up by the Doctor, and my friends could see all hope of my recovery. I had suffered for years with torpid liver. I had chronic obstruction of the womb, and a cough in addition to them. Altogether my case was considered by the doctors a complicated one. In three months I could perceive a change for the better; in three months I was almost like a new person.

Yours truly,
MRS. MAGGIE BRANSFORD,
Selby, W. Va.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Penna. O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., tyre shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—Norman and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Hudson avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Front st. avenues.
48—Grant street and Prague avenue.
57—Franklin square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

NO.		JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
112.	Chicago Express	4:00 a. m.	
110.	Buffalo Express	5 01 "	
26.	Middletown Way, To	6:34 "	6:36 a. m
16.	Orange Co. G. M.	7:09 "	7:12 "
2.	Mountain Express	8 22 "	8:25 "
38.	Del Valley Ex., G. M. P.	9:01 "	"
6.	Way Mail (ex. Sunday)	11:56 p. m.	
9.	Chicago Express	4 53 "	
30.	Way, M. P. G.	4 43 "	4:45 p. m
4.	Chicago Limited	7:14 "	"
18.	Milk	7:03 "	
14.	Wells-Fargo Express		
604.	Pt. Jervis Local	6 a. m	6:25 a. m
820.	Port Jervis Local	5:25 p. m	
1168.	M. & C. Branch, arrives		6:10 a. m
1130.	M. & C. Branch, arrives		6:05 p. m

WEST BOUND

117.	Milk	7:47 a. m	
21.	Port Jervis Way	10:05 "	10:05 a. m
1.	Day Express	11:45 "	"
11.	Port Jervis Local	1:06 p. m	1:01 p. m
38.	Port Jervis Local	3:50 "	3:47 "
25.	Chicago Limited	5:02 "	"
27.	Mountain Express	5 41 "	5:36 "
15.	Orange County	6:46 "	6:40 "
25.	Middletown Way, arrives	8:10 "	7:58 "
7.	C. & G. T. Express	8:47 "	"
29.	Emigrant	9 40 "	
3.	Chicago Express	11:42 "	"
600.	Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:45 a. m	10:40 a. m
625.	" " "	3:52 p. m	3:48 p. m
6.	" " "	9:42 "	"
1168.	M. & C. Branch train	11:30 a. m	11:40 a. m
1115.	"	6:55 p. m	"

Trains marked with a ‖ run daily. Trains Nos. 604, 625, 6, 7, 820 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. †Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west the said due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters after their numbers indicate connections, viz: "G." with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch.

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at 8:15, 9:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12:30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	8:45 a. m
Day Express	10 55 "
Sullivan County Express	6:01 p. m
Pacific Express	10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:31 a. m
No. 8	8:45 "
Day Express	4 30 p. m
No 12	6:35 "

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Where the Casino Chart Can be Found.

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at H. S. Dusenberry & Son's jewelry store, 4 North street.

BASEBALL RECORDS.

Standing of the Clubs in the Race for Championship Pennants.

National League.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
Baltimore	71	26	.679	Pittsburg	55	47	.467
New York	75	40	.652	Chicago	50	64	.439
Boston	71	41	.649	Cincinnati	48	67	.417
Philad'a	66	48	.579	St. Louis	46	68	.404
Brooklyn	62	51	.549	Wash'ton	39	75	.342
Cleveland	57	55	.515	Louisville	33	81	.289

SATURDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 13; Philadelphia, 7. At Louisville—Baltimore, 6; Louisville, 3. At Chicago—Boston, 8; Chicago, 1. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 14; Washington, 9. At St. Louis—Brooklyn, 8, St. Louis, 1.

SUNDAY'S LEAGUE GAMES.

At Cincinnati—First game: Cincinnati, 4; Washington, 1. Second game: Cincinnati, 7; Washington, 6. At Chicago—Cleveland, 9; Chicago, 5. At Louisville—Baltimore, 9; Louisville, 4. At St. Louis—First game: St. Louis, 7; Brooklyn, 5. Second game: Brooklyn, 11; St. Louis, 7.

Pennsylvania State League.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
Pottsville	33	18	.647	Ashland	21	29	.420
Reading	29	22	.569	Hazleton	21	28	.429
Lancaster	29	22	.569	Harrisburg	20	28	.417
Shenand'h.	25	23	.521	Philada	20	33	.377

SATURDAY'S PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE GAMES.

At Philadelphia—First game: Philadelphia, 7; Harrisburg, 3. Second game; Harrisburg, 5; Philadelphia, 3. At Reading—Hazleton, 3; Reading, 1.

SUNDAY'S PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE GAMES.

At Shenandoah—First game: Shenandoah, 4; Philadelphia, 3. Second game: Philadelphia, 4; Shenandoah, 2.

Sunday's Eastern League Games.

At Providence—Providence, 8; Syracuse, 1. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 16; Yonkers, 7.

Ex-Cashier Green Guilty.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Sept. 10.—Ex-Cashier De La Green, of the defunct National Bank of Muncy, was convicted of falsifying the accounts of that institution. It was said by an expert accountant of Philadelphia that the amount of the discrepancies ranged from $20,000 to $33,000. Green was appointed national bank examiner for eastern Pennsylvania during Harrison's administration, but retired after about two years. President John M. Bowman, of the bank, will also be tried. It was shown in Green's trial that Bowman's account was overdrawn about $5,000.

Secured a Fortune by Theft.

BOSTON, Sept. 10. — Max Pearlsteine, foreman of C. M. Simmons & Co.'s clothing manufacturing establishment on North street, was arrested last night by police inspectors, who claim that he stole goods to the value of $50,000 or more during the last ten years. Pearlsteine's salary has been $25 per week, but he has been able to buy a house in Worcester for $40,000 and has engaged in other big operations for a man of his income.

No Trace of Cholera Found.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Health Officer Jenkins sent Dr. E. H. Buxton, the expert bacteriologist of the New York quarantine, to Cumberland, Md., to investigate the supposed case of cholera in the person of John Peter Walther, who was reported to have arrived at this port from Bremen on the steamer Elna, Sept. 5, and who died at Cumberland on the 5th. The body was disinterred but no trace of cholera was found.

Highwaymen Rob an Editor.

RUTHERFORD, N. J., Sept. 10.—C. L. Parker, editor of the Bergen County Herald, while coming home at an early hour in the morning was assaulted and robbed of a considerable sum of money and checks by a gang of five men, who were armed with clubs. The robbers escaped. Mr. Parker is not seriously injured.

Two New Pennsylvania Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Three fourth class postmasters have just been appointed in Pennsylvania: J. B. Cofford, Laughlintown, Westmoreland county, and B. Corwin, Ryeland Berks county.

Trexler Nominated for Congress.

READING, Pa., Sept. 10.—The Berks county Republican convention was held here to-day. Dr. J. S. Trexler, of Kutztown, was nominated for congress over James Wren, of Boyerstown.

Professor Helmholtz Dead.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—Professor Hermann Von Helmholtz, the celebrated physiologist and physician, who was recently stricken for the second time with paralysis, died, aged 74 years.

Victim of an Unknown Murderer.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—After lying unclaimed since Saturday morning Michael Kohr, a Jewish peddler, died at the University hospital yesterday afternoon, the victim of an unknown murderer. Kohr was found lying in a clump of bushes on the outskirts of Whitford, Chester county. He was stark naked and his body was covered with bruises. The right leg from the hip to the knee was completely skinned on one side and there was a lacerated wound of the forehead. The body showed evidences of having been lying there for some time.

Destructive Fire in Roanoke.

ROANOKE, Va., Sept. 10.—One of the most disastrous fires that ever occurred in this city broke out at 11 o'clock yesterday morning in the Bridgewater building, which with its contents was entirely destroyed. Several of the firemen were overcome by heat and taken away by their comrades. Mr. Tinsley, whose office was in the building is rendered penniless by the fire and was carried away in hysterics when he saw his property being destroyed.

Thrown from a Train by Tramps.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 10.—John Woods, a brakeman on the Ohio River railroad was thrown from his train on the bridge above Ravenswood by two tramps. Woods had one leg broken and is fatally injured internally.

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Railroaders in Convention.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 10.—The city is filled with visiting railroad men and delegates to the fourth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, which convened this morning. Frank P. Sargent, the grand master, is in attendance. Two sessions will be held daily for two weeks, there being a large amount of business of importance to the Brotherhood to be transacted. The recent troubles growing out of the Pullman boycott will be among the most interesting of the many topics.

Threw Herself in Front of a Train.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—At the bridge terminus of the Brooklyn and Union Elevated road a shocking suicide occurred last night. An unknown woman cast herself down from the station platform in front of an approaching train. Her body was caught under the engine wheels and she was fearfully mangled. She doubtless met with instant death.

Tried to Murder the Priest.

BUCHAREST, Sept. 10.—During the celebration of mass in a Catholic church a lunatic, who brandished a long knife, rushed to the altar and tried to murder the priest. He was seized and disarmed before he could do any harm. The congregation was thrown into a state of semi-panic by the man's murderous attempt.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

A trolley ambulance is being tried by St. Louis authorities.

Oswald Ottendorfer, editor of the New York Staat-Zeitung, is seriously ill.

After a picnic at Leadville, Col., Hugh Porter, aged 21, of Bridgeport, Conn., who had brain trouble, shot himself dead.

A package of $1,000 in bills, bequeathed to heirs eighteen years ago by Craig White, was found hanging in an old closet at Pawnee, Ill.

Perazzo Bianco and Addie Ross, for harboring an Italian girl under 15 years of age for immoral purposes, were held in $1,000 bail for trial in Wilmington, Del.

The marine hospital service is informed of the arrival at Cape Charles, Va., quarantine station from Havana of an American bark with three cases of yellow fever on board.

Governor McKinley in Maine.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 10.—Governor William McKinley, of Ohio, addressed a large meeting of Republicans in this city Saturday night. He wes frequently interrupted by applause. In his speech he scored the Democrats and denounced the new tariff measure, quoting both President Cleveland and Senator Hill as having unqualifiedly condemned the new law. He took occasion during the course of his remarks to characterize Mr. Hill as "the greatest leader in the Democratic party."

Fell Five Stories.

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—Early in the morning Herbert Kennison, aged 25, was found on the sidewalk adjoining his lodging house at 15 Chambers street in a dying condition, having fallen from the window of his room in the fifth story. He died soon after. His room mate, William Stewart, is now under arrest on suspicion of being responsible for the fall.

An Embezzler Sent to Jail.

ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 10.—Bookkeeper C. L. Buffington, of the Baltimore Produce company, this city, was sent to jail on the charge of embezzling $500. His plan was to alter the deposit slip when on his way to bank, abstracting $10 or $20 on each trip. He is a married man and lives at Tyrone.

Initiated Amid Flames.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., Sept. 10.—A lamp exploded at Rocky Hollin the meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. A number of new members were being initiated. John Davis was so badly burned that he is now in the hospital, and Joseph Matlock and Frank Green were also badly scorched.

Placed His Body on the Rail.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Sept. 10.—Julius Foster, a Mexican, who lived in Logan county, was murdered by unknown parties at this boy placed on the railroad track, where it was cut in two by a train.

SUPERSTITIOUS RUSSIA.

The Cruel Murder of a Woman Supposed to Be the "Cholera Devil."

Another form which the devil assumes in Russia pretty often of late is that of the cholera, who, of course, is a female. In the district of Barnaul the other day the peasants were determined to make short work of the "cunning one" in that hideous role of his. They chalked the floor and lay in wait. One day they caught the spirit of evil on his way to the people with the terrible epidemic. It was riding in a tarantass—a sort of springless cart covered with canvas—disguised in the form of a female.

The watchman refused to allow the tarantass to enter the village of Prasloukha. The woman inside protested, but had to turn back. The peasants assembled, gave chase to the tarantass, surrounded it and called out to the "cholera devil" to disappear. The poor woman said she was human like themselves and could not vanish miraculously, but they shouted, prayed and closed around. A few shots were heard, followed by a piteous moan and then a deafening shout of triumph: "Pray to God, brothers, and thank him. We have killed the cholera." The woman's name was Kondratieff. Her corpse was not allowed into the village.—London Telegraph.

The Emperor and the Yachts.

Emperor William does not sympathize with American ambition to yacht in English waters, says an American, writing from London. Nobody was more pleased than he when his royal uncle's yacht beat the Vigilant. Even the London newspapers felt called upon to explain that the kaiser's visit was purely personal and that his social pleasures or shortcomings among the visitors at Cowes were solely his private affair.

The Browning Slab.

The slab to cover the grave of Robert Browning in Westminster abbey has just been completed in Venice. It is of the oriental porphyry of which the poet was particularly fond. It has been put into a frame of Siena marble, and the whole, though rich, is of the greatest simplicity. The inscription will consist only of the name and the dates of birth and death, with an English rose at the head and a Florentine lily below.

ALONG THE DELAWARE.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN EASTERN WAYNE COUNTY, PA.

Effects of the Drouth—An Unhappy Wife's Disappearance—Looking for Coal at Galilee—A Broken Leg—Poor Fishing—Little Fruit—Possible Changes—An Exciting Experience.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The long drouth has at last been broken. It was time. Everything bears a scorched appearance and the whods look more like the last of October than the first of September. Vegetation is so scarce that many farmers are compelled to feed their cattle hay. Cattle are shrinking and the flow of milk has dropped to less than one half. All new seeding will be a failure,—even seed sowed with buckwheat. Some farmers have commenced to cut their field corn to feed to the stock, since their supply of drilled fodder became exhausted. Although the ground has become so dry on top, wells and springs were even lower seven years ago this fall.

—Domestic infelicity, which had continued for some time, caused Mrs. Horace Bush, of Conklin Hill, to leave home some two weeks ago, with the intention of making a change for the better. When leaving she kissed her three young children a good-bye and then turned her back upon the scenes of her misery. A letter subsequently received from her mother revealed by the post mark that she was in Port Jervis. She instructed her mother to see that the children were looked after and said she would see that she was paid for the trouble. John Raymond, the woman's father, went to his daughter's to visit and found that she had gone and was not coming back, but could not tell anything further. Until the receipt of the letter there seemed to be a cloud of mystery over the disappearance, that was in no way consoling.

—I have mentioned in these columns before that it was strongly suspected that anthracite coal existed in lands near Galilee, as many chunks of the dusky diamonds have been found slightly below the surface. Several practical miners have viewed the locality from time to time and thought indications were favorable. About a month ago the people of the above locality sent to Scranton for an experienced test hole driller to come out and look the matter over. He came and made such superficial examinations as he could. A survey showed the locality to be in direct line with the Forest City coal beds. Subsequently the people have organized themselves into a stock company with County Commissioner Joel G. Hill as President, W. J. Bush, Vice-President, E. A. Hollenbeck, Secretary, J. L. Brigham, Treasurer and a board of seven directors. As soon as the grounds can be properly leased and other arrangements made, the work of putting down a test hole will be begun.

—Nick Conklin had a leg broken near the ankle while starting timber on Friday, the 31st. The stick was long and flexible, and in rounding a stump the hook let go its hold, which let the stick recoil with tremendous force, striking him with the above result. Mr. Conklin is nearly sixty years old.

—Fishermen in the Delaware at these points are not having a flesh of success. The water is very low and filled with so much green matter that the sport is entirely robbed of its pleasure, as the line brings in a load of this green stuff every time. There are places where one could almost cross the river dry shod by stepping from stone to stone. It would be no trick to wade it.

—Fruit is scarce through Wayne county. Nearly everyone has enough to serve himself, but little for market, and that of an inferior sort. Potatoes are not in abundance, but I think that the yield will be above what was expected before the digging season began.

—Should coal be found in paying quantities at Galilee it will cause quite a sensation in this section of country. It is about six miles from the Erie at Cochecton, so, of course, a railroad will be one of the great necessities, as carting coal so far by teams will be out of the question. There will be a chance for the P., H. & A. Railroad scheme to be resurrected and the course changed to run through this new-found coal field and cross the Erie at or near Callicoon. Conjecture is rife, pro and con, as regards what may be found when the test hole is sunk, but it seems that there are enough of those who favor the idea to chip in and be convinced by actual test. The country roundabout is now a law-abiding section, whose people are engaged mostly in farming. But if coal be found there will be a great transformation at once, and not for the better as the scurf of the earth generally flock to such new fields. Locks and bars will be in demand for farm houses.

—Tom Gilroy, of Galilee, had a moment of excitement one day last week, and a narrow escape from serious injury in the bargain. He and his sister were on their way to the Cochecton station. When about half way of the six miles, their horse became frightened at a little girl catching butterflies with a net on a pole. Doubtless everything would have come out all right but one of the lines broke. Mr. Gilroy then attempted to climb over along the shafts to get the animal by the head, and would have succeeded had not the animal begun kicking. One kick was planted glancingly upon the waistband of Gilroy's trousers, completely disrobing him of those articles, but fortunately he had a pair of base ball knickerbockers under them. But the kick knocked him out, and the horse soon broke loose from the buggy and leaped over a barbed wire fence into a field, where it soon stopped. The buggy was wrecked, but strange to say neither Mr. Gilroy nor his sister were injured beyond a bad shaking up and a few scratches. The horse was torn somewhat upon the breast by the wire fence, but not seriously. B. T. J.

THE ORIGIN OF MAN.

Ancient Beliefs That Trees Were the Ancestors of the Human Race.

The descent of the human race from some particular species of tree is one of the oldest myths that can be found running through the folk stories of every nation. In Virgil we find reference to the race of "men who took their birth from trunks of trees," and among some of the early commentators on that statement we even find speculations as to the particular species of tree from which the race sprung. The very earliest Egyptians as well as those who lived under later dynasties had a legend of the "tree of life," and many of the leading investigators, both ancient and modern, have expressed the opinion that from Egypt came the Biblical story of the "tree of knowledge of good and evil" which graced the original garden made by the All Wise for our first parents.

Professor Thistelton (see his "Folk Lore of Plants") believes that the Scriptural narrative cited is a survival of the belief in the "tree descent of man," and that the abiding faith of mankind in the tradition again crops out in Revelation, where the "tree of life" plays as important a part as that of the famous tree mentioned in the first book of the Bible. The natives of Madagascar have a tradition which is believed and perpetuated among them to the effect that the first man was born alive from a tree, and that he immediately set about making himself "a helpmeet," fashioning her from a knotted limb by the aid of a mussel shell carving knife.

Marsden's "History of Sumatra" tells us that the people of the Philippine islands also have the tree descent legend among them, and King, in his "Life Among the Bushmen of Australia," says that the people there habitually live among the trees, because "they are taught from infancy that their early ancestors were trees endowed with the faculty of speaking and moving about from place to place."—St. Louis Republic.

SIGNING THE DECLARATION.

Flies Pestered the Fathers of the Republic as They Created It.

Jefferson was fond of telling a story which illustrates in a forcible manner the importance that absurdly insignificant matters may sometimes assume. When the deliberative body that gave the world the Declaration of Independence was in session, its proceedings were conducted in a hall close to which was situated a livery stable. The weather was warm, and from the stable came swarms of flies that lighted on the legs of the honorable members, and biting through the thin silk stockings then in fashion gave infinite annoyance. It was no uncommon sight, said Jefferson, to see a member making a speech with a large handkerchief in hand and pausing at every moment to thrash the flies from his thinly protected calves.

The opinion of the body was not unanimous in favor of the document, and, under other circumstances, discussion might have been protracted for days, if not weeks, but the flies were intolerable. Efforts were made to find another hall, free from the pests, but in vain. As the weather became warmer the flies grew worse, and the flapping of handkerchiefs was heard all over the hall as an accompaniment to the views of the speakers.

In despair at last some one suggested that matters be hurried, so that the body might adjourn and get away from the flies. There were a few mild protests, but no one heeded them, the immortal declaration was hurriedly copied, and, with handkerchiefs in hand fighting flies as they came, the members hastened up to the table to sign the authentic copy and leave the flies in the lurch.

Had it not been for the livery stable and its inmates there is no telling when the document would have been completed, but it certainly would not have been signed on the Fourth.—Philadelphia Press.

Couldn't "Do" John.

He was a busted sport, with very much soiled linen, and when he found a laundry check issued by the only Chinese laundry in Carondelet he thought he was fixed. He took it to John's washhouse and demanded the clothes it called for. The washerman took the ticket behind a screen, where he had a long consultation with the other Chinaman. After a time he came out and asked:

"Shirtee?"

"Yes."

"Collar?"

"Yes."

"Handchif?"

"Yes."

"Socks?"

"Yes."

Here John's patience vanished, and throwing open the door he yelled:

"All one big lie!"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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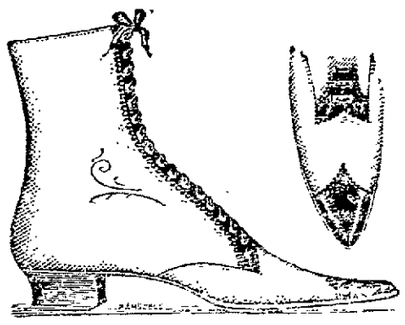

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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the state of New York are requested to unite in sending three alternate delegates from each Assembly District to a state Convention to be held at Saratoga Springs, on Tuesday, Sept 25 h 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates to be voted for at the ensuing general election, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention

Within two weeks more than 20,000 iron and steel workers have resumed work in the Braddock, Pa., district. More Democratic tariff ruin.

It is time the Democratic committee for this Assembly District "got a move on" and issued a call for the district convention to choose delegates to the State Convention. Under the State Committee's call six days' notice of the holding of primaries is to be given and longer notice can do no harm. There is no good reason for delaying the call, and the sooner it is issued the better for the interests of the party.

Tom Platt figures that Morton will have at least 450 of the 730 votes in the Republican Sate Convention, and some of the more sanguine Mortonites put his strength at over 500 votes. In all these estimates, Morton is given all the votes of Orange, Sullivan and Rockland counties, young Ben Odell - bailiwick.

Some Republicans of Kings county, encouraged by their success with William J Gaynor as a candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court, last fall, propose to make a straight out nomination against Judge Cullen, whose term expires this year and who will be renominated by the Democrats. Judge Cullen has been an able, conscientious, courageous, painstaking Judge, who has won the respect, confidence and esteem of lawyers and people in all parts of the district, and unless partisan greed for office blinds the Republicans to the real interests of the people and the advantages of keeping the judiciary out of politics, the plan for a straight out judicial nomination will be abandoned and Judge Cullen will be honored by the Republican endorsement.

The New York *Journal of Commerce*, than which there is no better authority on business and commercial topics, calls attention to the fact that Pennsylvania coal, which is sold for $3 per ton in New York, is sold for $1 90 a ton for export to the West Indies and Mexico. Typewriting machines, sewing machines, mowing machines and many other articles are also sold for export at prices from fifteen to thirty per cent. below the price for domestic use, showing that American manufacturers can compete in foreign markets and can scale their prices very considerably and yet make a profit on their goods. These facts prove that the protective features of the tariff are mainly instruments for the robbery of the American public and that the pretence that the American workman needs or receives protection is baseless in fact.

THE DEMOCRATIC RECORD.

Speaker Crisp, in a speech which he made at Atlanta, Ga., Friday evening, summarized the work of the Democrats in Congress as follows.

The Democratic party enters upon its contest with Republicanism, and every other temporary issue which may present itself, with courage and confidence While we have not done all we hoped to do, we have done more in the past year to redress the wrongs of the people, and have done more for their relief than was ever done by any party in the same length of time in any country under the sun These are bold words, yet I hold myself at all times ready to defend them. Coming into power at a time of panic, when business was at a standstill, when labor was unemployed, when our Treasury was empty, with courage and fidelity we entered upon a struggle with the enemies of the people, we emerged from that struggle victorious in this

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

A Chinese Transport Sunk—Chinese Troops in Northern Corea Cut Off from Supplies

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—A Shanghai dispatch says the Chinese transport Cheau, with 1,100 troops, has been wrecked at Chetum. Soldiers and crew were saved.

Three powerful Chinese warships have gone to the Gulf of Chi Li to join the northern squadron.

Another Shanghai dispatch states that the Chinese forces in the northern part of Corea are hemmed in by the Japanese and supplies cut off. The Chinese have been compelled to kill their horses for food.

THE GREEN GLASS WORKERS.

Another Conference of the Workers, Association and the Manufacturers Committee to Be Held.

BY UNITED PRESS.

MILLVILLE, N. J., Sept. 10—President Troth, of the Green Glass Workers' Association, has received a telegram from the Chairman of the Manufacturers' Committee, asking for another conference at Pittsburg, Tuesday. Troth has notified members of the executive board to be present.

SHOCKING RAILROAD DISASTER

Twelve Killed and Sixty Injured in a Railroad Wreck in France

BY UNITED PRESS.

PARIS, Sept. 10.—It is now learned that twelve persons were killed and sixty wounded by an accident to the Cologne Express, between Noyon and Chauny, yesterday.

INCREASED TREASURY RECEIPTS.

The New Tariff Swelling the General Balance and the Gold Reserve.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10—The treasury receipts for the month of September to date show that under the new tariff the general balance in the treasury has increased nearly $2,000,000 and the gold reserve $900,000.

SWEPT AWAY BY FIRE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

MASSILLION, Ohio, Sept. 10.—Half the village of Dalton was burned, this morning, and hundreds are homeless The fire was of incendiary origin. The loss is not yet known.

SHOT HER SCHOOL MATE.

BY UNITED PRESS

WALNUT GROVE, Sept. 10. — Last night Miss Callahan accidentally shot Miss Marsh, her school mate. She died to-day.

NEWS OF A CHINESE VICTORY CONFIRMED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—A Shanghai dispatch to the *Times* says Corean reports confirm Chinese dispatches reporting the defeat of the Japanese at Tatung. Wounded Japanese soldiers are arriving at Chemud-po.

MAYOR GILROY'S RETURN.

BY UNITED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10 —Mayor Gilroy returned to New York, to-day, on the Trave from Southampton. He refused to talk politics.

A PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10 —A passenger train was wrecked last night, on the Northwestern Railroad, at Barrington. The fireman was killed and five persons injured.

HOT AND HUMID IN NEW YORK.

BY UNITED PRESS

NEW YORK, Sept 10—This was the warmest day since Aug. 8. At 1 p. m the mercury indicated 91. The humidity is great.

NEWARK CLOAKMAKERS STRIKE

BY UNITED PRESS

NEWARK, Sept 10 —Five hundred cloakmakers struck, to-day, to secure a reduction of their hours of labor.

Advertised Letter List

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Sept. 10th:

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Block Mrs Oscar	Terwilliger, Gertrude
Dailey, Mrs. Augusta	VanInwegen Mrs Ella
Harrington, Miss Lillian	Wash, Miss Grace
Relyea, Mrs S C. Care Homer Howlet	Whipple, Miss Laura

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HUDSON, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1893.

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BESSEMER ON BESSEMER STEEL.

Marvelous Quickness In Converting Cast Iron Into the Hardened Metal.

In The Engineering Review Sir Henry Bessemer has an article on the steel industry which bears his name He reminds us that a third of a century ago Sheffield steel made from the costly bar iron of Sweden realized from £50 to £60 a ton. Now, by the Bessemer process, steel of excellent quality can be made direct from crude pig iron at a cost ridiculously small compared with former prices and in quantities which the old steel workers never dreamed of dealing with at one operation.

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A. T. & S. F.	8⅝	7⅜	7⅞
C. B. & Q.	77⅝	75⅞	76⅛
Chicago Gas	74⅝	74⅛	74⅝
D. L. & W.	109	109	109
Dis. & Cat. F	16⅛	15⅝	15⅞
Erie	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞
General Electric	41⅛	40⅞	41⅛
L. & N.	57	56⅝	56⅞
L. S.	136	136	136⅛
M. P.	30⅜	29⅛	30⅛
N. Y. & N. E.	26⅛	26	26⅛
N. Y. C.	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
N. W.	106⅜	106⅛	106⅛
N. P. Pfd.	22	21⅝	21⅞
O. & W.	17⅜	17⅛	17
Nat Lead.	42	42	42
R. T.	19⅜	18⅝	19⅜
P. & R.	21¾	21⅛	21⅝
R. I.	65	64⅜	65
C. M. & St. P.	67	66⅛	66⅝
U. P.	14⅜	13⅝	14
W. Union	92⅝	91⅝	92⅛
U. S. Cordage	18	18	18
Manhattan.	119	119	119
Dec Wheat	58	57	57
Dec. Corn	55¾	54⅞	54⅞
May Oats	36	35⅜	35⅝
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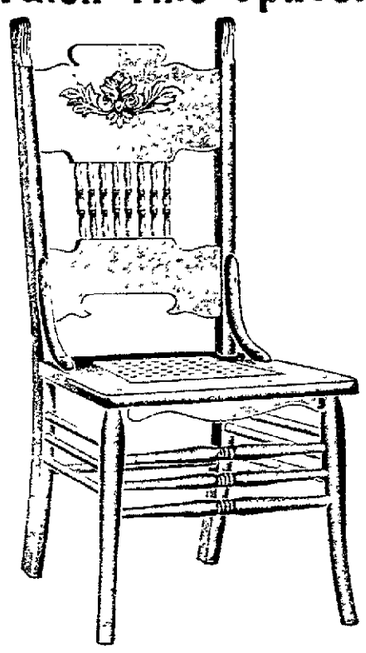

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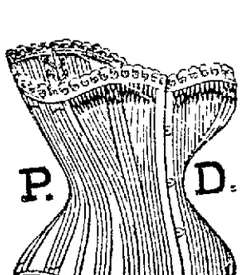

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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—Rain, to-day, fair, Tuesday; southwesterly winds, shifting to northwesterly; cooler.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 73°; 12 m., 87°; 3 p. m., 89°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Sept. 10-15—Minnie Lester, with six new plays, at the Casino.
—Sept. 11—Prohibition rally, Midway Park.
—Sept 11 13—Ulster county fair, at Ellenville.
—Sept 12—Oyster bake of Ivanhoe Lodge, Knights of Honor, at Midway Park.
—Sept. 12—Poughkeepsies vs. Asylums, on Hospital grounds.
—Sept. 13—Cuban Giants vs. Asylums, on Hospital grounds.
—Sept. 13 Excursion to Rockaway Beach, via Ontario and Western and steamer Gen. Slocum.
—Sept. 13—"Ceylon," illustrated by W. W. Wallace, at Second Presbyterian Church.
—Sept. 17—"The New Boy," at the Casino.
—Sept. 18-21—Orange county fair, at Newburgh.
—Sept. 19—Middletown Wheelmeen's meet, at Campbell track.
—Sept. 24—Shakespearian reading. "The Taming of the Shrew," by Hannibal A Williams, for the Y. M. C. A.
—Sept. 26—Tenth Legion re-union, at Matteawan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Special prices, this week, on stamped linen goods at Frank Crawford's.
—"Miss Rora," at the Casino, to-night.
—Fall styles of dress goods at correct prices, at Geo. B Adams & Co.'s
—Special sale of hosiery, Tuesday, at the New York Store.
—Large assortment of fall clothing, hats, etc, at John E Adams's
—Painters wanted. Apply at Grace Church.
—"She Couldn't Marry Three," at the Casino. Watch for the date.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—The O. and W. car shops at Norwich are running on full time.

—Minnie Lester in "Miss Rora" at the Casino, to night.

—Regular monthly meeting of the several fire companies, this evening.

—Minnie Lester's band, a very excellent one, gave a street parade to-day.

—Hot, humid and generally uncomfortable is to-day's weather record.

—If it had not been for the breeze to-day, the heat and humidity would have been unendurable.

—The "Lady Minstrels" will hold their first rehearsal at the Assembly Rooms, to-morrow, Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

—Minnie Lester with a strong company opens a week's engagement at the Casino, to-night. Popular prices.

—Mr. Jacob Gunther is in New York to-day, purchasing the materials for the Knights of Honor oyster bake, at Midway Park, Wednesday.

—It don't make the weather any more comfortable, but it is just as well to remember that hot weather in September is not unusual, and that last year we had several days that were much hotter than to-day.

—The N. Y., O. and W. will sell round trip tickets for the G. A. R. encampment, at Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 10th to 15th, for $12 40. Tickets can be had at both stations.

—The thirty-sixth anniversary of the Hudson River Central Baptist Association will be held in Newburgh at the First Baptist Church, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 11, 12, 13.

—A Norwich housewife was mad enough to cry, Thursday night, when on investigating the cause of a loud crash in the cellar she found that a swing shelf had fallen, and 105 glass cans of new preserves had gone to everlasting smash.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Clarence Corwin, of New York, spent Sunday in town.

—Mrs. B. B. Williams and son returned, yesterday, from a few weeks' outing at Coldenham.

—Mrs. C. Augusta Fairchild, spent Sunday in this city visiting her father, J. Harvey Goodale.

—Miss Sarah Courtright, of Deckertown, N. J., is visiting Miss Lulu Muir in this city.

—Mr. Chas. W. Rodgers has gone to Saratoga to attend the annual conclave of Knights Templar.

—Miss Tillie Robshaw, formerly an attendant at the State Hospital in this city, but now of Monroe, spent Sunday in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Robshaw.

—A telegram received, this morning, from Dr. Douglas says his son, who is sick with diphtheria at the home of Mrs. Douglas' parents at Lisle, is a little better.

—Auditor E. P. Campbell and Jersey City Ticket Agent C. A. Newman, stopped off in town, yesterday, on their way home from Livingston Manor.

—Mrs. K. M. Logan and Miss Essie Kessinger, of New York, who have been spending a week at the residence of Mr. W. H. Rogers, on Highland avenue, returned home on train 38, to-day.

—Messrs. Lindsey & Co., with a number of carpenters, commenced work, to-day, upon the Lancashire Inn, the new summer hotel at Liberty.

—Some of the farmers along the plank road between Orange Lake and Walden have refused to give their consents to the building of the electric road, but in spite of this obstacle it is possible that the road will be built and completed within two months.

—Mr. C. C. Bogart and family have gone to Downsville for a short visit.

—Mr. Jasper C. May, despatcher at the O. & W. depot, and family left, this morning, for a two weeks' visit to relatives at Rockwell's Mills, Chenango county.

—Talcott Vanamee left town, to-day, to enter the preparatory school of St. Stephen's College at Annandale, N. Y.

—Mr. Theo. A. Taylor, superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, has moved his family to this city, and has rented the house No. 2 Low block.

—Mr. Geo. Stickles went to Ellenville, this morning, having been called there by the death of his father-in-law, Mr. Joseph Miller.

—Mrs. Henry B. Wisner, of Ohio, a former resident of Orange county, will be at Midway Park, to-morrow, and take part in the W. C. T. U. exercises.

—Rev. Geo. W. Downs, of New York, and Miss Carrie Gordon, of this city, spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Cole, at Bridgeville.

SUNDAY AT MIDWAY.

Crowds Attend the A. M. E. Zion Grove Meeting.

The grove meeting of the A. M. E. Zion Church at Midway Park, yesterday, was attended by many of our citizens, both white and colored, and many of the colored people from neighboring towns were present. The services were interesting, especially the singing, which was exceptionally good.

There were many people at Midway, however, who did not go to attend the services, but to enjoy an outing that they could not have on any other day of the week and in all from 2,500 to 3,000 people visited the park. The electric cars were kept busy and a portion of the time during the afternoon and evening double headers were run.

The large crowd was an orderly and quiet one and no accident happened except the burning out of a fuse on one of the green cars, which caused a delay of about 15 minutes.

EEECTRIC RAILWAY NOTES

A Big Day's Business—Work on the Asylum Line.

—The electric cars carried about 7,000 passengers, yesterday.

—An additional force of men were put at work on the extension of the Asylum line, this morning, and it is expected that the excavation will be completed nearly to Bonnell street, to-day.

—It is probable that there will be some delay in securing the right of way over the Erie to Cornelia street, and that cars will be run only as far Bonnell street for the present.

—The Asylum line is completed as far as West Main street, and a gang of men are at work this afternoon cleaning up Wickham avenue. It only remains to string the wires, when cars will be run to Main street.

Improvements to the Grounds of the First Presbyterian Church.

Very extensive improvements are being made to the grounds about the First Presbyterian Church. The removal of the fence in front was of itself a big improvement, but since then the walks have been relaid and the grounds are being nicely graded, and to complete the work a handsome coping will be laid along the entire front.

Real Estate Sales.

—Gardner & McWilliams, real estate agents, have sold for L. V. Sinsabaugh his vacant lot on Watkins avenue to Geo. B. Finch, of Brooklyn,

—Mr. Freeman B. Wheeler has sold to Mr. Addison Newhall a vacant building lot situate on Watkins avenue near Wisner avenue, on which Mr. Newhall has already commenced the erection of a large dwelling.

Meeting of Prohibitionists.

There will be a meeting of the Prohibitionists of Middletown, this evening, at 8 o'clock, in the office of John Ferguson, Central Building. All Prohibitionists are urged to be present as business of importance will come before the meeting.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

Music at the County Fair.

Director Henry M. Howell, of the County Agricultural Society, has arranged the bands as follows for the coming Fair: Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday, all day, Newburgh City Band; Thursday, Chester Band; Friday, Florida Band.

Special Train to Ulster County Fair.

Ulster County Fair at Ellenville, Sept. 11, 12 and 13. Special train leaves Main street, 8:40 a. m., Wickham avenue, 8:45. Fare, seventy cents round trip. Tickets good on any regular train.

Just Married.

How loving they are; this is always a sure sign. After the first year sometimes it don't hold good. When Charles comes home to you grouty and cross, snapping and snarling, unable to relish the nice dinner you have cooked, and feels as if there was a ton of pig iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

CRUSHED UNDER THE CAR WHEELS.

An O. and W. Brakeman Falls From His Train—His Body Horribly Mangled.

John L. Quick, an O. & W. brakeman, fell from his train at Little Britain, last night, and was instantly killed, his body being horribly mangled.

The train passed that point about midnight, but Quick was not missed until the train reached Cornwall, as his lantern could be seen on top of the car.

When it was discovered that he was not on the train men were sent back and found his body near Little Britain. It is supposed that two trains passed over him.

The body was brought to this city and turned over to Undertaker Rockafellow, and Coroner Decker was notified.

Quick was 24 years old and had no family. He came here from Port Jervis, and has been in the employ of the O. & W. since July. He boarded at 16 Prince street.

The dead man was a son of Lum Quick, who runs the livery stable connectad with the Delaware House in Port Jervis.

He was a member of Neversink Lodge, 253, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, of Port Jervis.

Coroner Decker impanelled a jury this morning, and will hold an inquest as soon as the train crew returns to town.

THE BLOCKING OF RAILROAD CROSSINGS.

A Matter That Should be Regulated Better Than It Is.

With a rigid enforcement of the city ordinance regulating the blocking of railway crossings and a disposition on the part of the railway employes to respect the rights of the public there would be no occasion for the long delays of passengers on street cars, or pedestrians, that we have experienced of late and which have necessitated a complete change in the street car schedule.

There is no good reason why the gates should be shut while the yard engine or a local freight train is run back and forth from one end of the yard to the other until it has finished its work of shifting cars.

When an engine or train has passed over the crossing it should be held there until the crowds that have collected, and waiting street cars as well, have been allowed to pass and then given an opportunity to complete its work. It is very annoying to be held at a crossing while a shifting engine runs from North street to West Main, shifts cars into two or three switches and returns to pick up another batch of cars and repeats the process probably two or three times.

There is no reason why the trains should wait for the public to cross, nor should the public be compelled to wait longer than necessary while some engineer or conductor displays his skill at drilling. There should be a spirit of mutual accommodation.

SUPREME COURT

Business Transacted at Judge Brown's Special Term, Saturday.

Among the business transacted at Judge Brown's special term of the Supreme Court in Newburgh, Saturday, was the following:

Stephen W. Rockafellow vs. Andrew T. Bertholf and others. Motion for judgment and sale in foreclosure granted and Geo. H. Decker appointed referee.

Elizabeth W. Otis and others vs. Andrew T. Bertholf and others. Motion for judgment in foreclosure and sale. Geo. H. Decker appointed referee.

Cora L. Knapp vs. Cornelia A. Christie and others. Motion for an order to show cause. Granted.

Eliza Mulford, as guardian vs. Wm. L. Bush and another. Motion to appoint a referee in surplus proceedings. Order granted.

Robert M. Crosby and others vs. Mary Fagan et al. Action for judgment. Case called, witness sworn. Case closed and judgment granted

Matilda Clark vs. city of Newburgh. Motion for an order extending time to serve case on appeal. Order granted.

In the matter of the voluntary dissolution of the Wright Engine Company an adjournment was taken until October 16th.

Rain Prevents a Game of Ball.

The game of base ball between the Liberty Cycle Company's team and the Asylums, scheduled for Saturday, was abandoned owing to the rain. Both teams were on the field in uniform, and indulged in preliminary practice during the showers. As play was about to be called, however, the rain came down in such quantity that after waiting a few minutes the managers of both teams agreed to call the game off.

A Good Appetite

Always accompanies good health, and an absence of appetite is an indication of something wrong. The universal testimony given by those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla as to its merits in restoring the appetite, and as a purifier of the blood, constitutes the strongest recommendation that can be urged for any medicine.

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So Says an Italian Caught Stealing Articles Thrown from Windows by Hospital Patients.

For some time past the authorities at the State Hospital have been annoyed by the disappearance of articles of clothing, sheets, pillow cases, etc., which the patients in the institution throw out of the windows during the night.

An employe collects the articles every morning and they are taken to the laundry.

On several occasions, however, some one has been ahead of the employe, and a watch has been kept, with the result that this morning an Italian, giving his name as Frank Tiars, aged twenty-four, was caught as he was leaving the grounds with a bag full of plunder.

He claimed that he was a rag and bone picker and that he thought the goods had been thrown away as useless.

He pleaded not guilty to the charge of petty larceny and was held in default of $200 bail for trial, tomorrow morning.

THE REPUBLICAN CLUB.

Delegates Elected to the State League —Club Rooms Leased.

The Republican Club held a meeting at the office of Justice Powelson, Saturday evening, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State League of Republican Clubs, to be held at Saratoga, Sept. 17th.

The delegates chosen were Messrs. W. K. Stansbury, Charles L. Meade and J. B. Carson.

It was decided to lease the rooms over Osborn & Brown's store for a club room, and W. E. Robertson was appointed a committee to make the lease.

The Wheelmen's Meet.

Secretary Ira Moore, of the Middletown Wheelmen, has received applications from many prominent wheelmen's associations for entry blanks for the races which the club will hold at the Campbell track, Wednesday, Sept. 19th. The entries for the handicap race close Sept. 12th, and for the balance of the races Sept. 15th. The present indications are that the meeting will be a greater success than the last one.

Prohibition Rally at Midway.

The Prohibitionists of Orange county will hold a grand rally at Midway, to-morrow. Prof. Samuel Dickie, National Chairman of the Prohibition party, will be present and deliver an address. The Good Templars and W. C. T. U. will participate in the exercises. Rev. F. A. Heath of this city will speak in behalf of the Good Templars and Mrs. Lucy Washington, of Port Jervis for the W. C. T. U. The Prohibition County Commitee will hold a meeting at 11 a. m.

Illustrated Lecture on Ceylon

On Thursday evening, Sept. 13th, Mr. Wm. W. Wallace will give an illustrated lecture on Ceylon at the Second Presbyterian Church for the benefit of the Young Men's Christian Association. Mr. Wallace is a native of Middletown and having spent four years as a missionary in Ceylon is fully able to present an interesting and instructive entertainment.

Improvements at Grace Church.

The work of removing the pews and erecting the scaffoldings preparatory to repainting and decorating the ceiling and walls of Grace Church was begun this morning. The church will be closed for two, and possibly three weeks, while the improvements are in progress. The pews will be regrained before they are put back in place.

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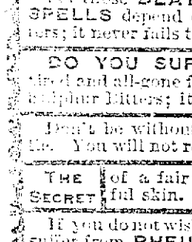

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I heard some patriotic American women congratulating themselves that with all its fashionable follies and fads "swell life" in this country never did and it was not likely it ever could approach that in England.

And then one of them told that damaging little story about the young Countess of Roslyn losing her diamond studded cigarette case in a fashionable restaurant, the case having been presented to her by no less a personage than the Princess of Wales.

Naughty Countess of Roslyn, to smoke her cigarettes in a public restaurant! After all, Spartan virtue is the best sort to hold fast by. The crime consists not in the commission, but in the discovery. Now, if she had only smoked at home! I wondered if either of those two good American dames had ever been in Saratoga during the racing season. I doubt if their strong convictions of America's virtuous supremacy could stand the shock likely to be administered there.

One does not like to read about the universality of betting going on there among women—not fast, base women alone, women who have no reputations to lose, but all sorts and conditions, young and old, gray haired women, to whom you would think eternity was appealing as an imminent call, young girls flinging aside textbooks for betting books. Rich and poor, the mania has seized them all, and a poolroom is at their disposal where they can empty their purses and display their lack of horse sense with the recklessness characteristic of women who, having stepped outside the barriers that mark the line of safety, care little how far they wander from the safety of beaten paths.—Jeannette H. Walworth in New York Mail and Express.

AFTER THE "EVIL EYE."

The Marquis of Bute Backs the Society For Psychical Research In a Little Flier.

The Society For Psychical Research, at the moment when the supply of ghosts and the society's funds were falling short, has had the felicity of finding a new field of inquiry and the money with which to explore it. They have to thank the Marquis of Bute for both favors. The marquis is a solid, solemn, millionaire peer and a devout Catholic who has always taken a languid interest in spooks.

Reading recently a newspaper paragraph describing a case in the sheriff's court at Oban, in which the defendant was said to possess "the evil eye," he wrote to the secretary of the society offering $500 toward the cost of an inquiry into that malignant optic in particular and the questions of second sight and other Scottish superstitions in general.

The society greedily snapped at the offer and forthwith organized an expedition, which is now wandering about Scotland on a lookout for evil eyes, seers, witches and such like. Reliable information as to the progress made has not yet come to hand, probably because a selfish reporter who wants to score a beat with a complete story is attached to the expedition, but it is rumored that the Oban defendant with the evil eye was tracked to his lair and gave the investigators a remarkably warm reception, from the effects of which they are still suffering. It is said also that the marquis has been rebuked by his spiritual advisers for displaying unseemly and premature curiosity in ghostly things, but that is probably a libel upon his lordship and his chaplains.—London Letter.

Beer Statistics.

Statistics have been compiled at Vienna of the quantity of beer drank in 1893 in the entire world. Germany heads the list with 1,202,132,674 gallons, an increase of 34,000,000 over 1892, the consumption being 33 gallons per head, ranging from 62 gallons in Bavaria to 12 gallons in Lothringen; Great Britain second, 1,165,752,000 gallons, or 30 per head; America, including the whole of the western hemisphere, is third, with more than a billion gallons, or 16 per head. The total for the world, not including Asia and Africa, is 4,500,000,000 gallons, requiring 7,270,000 tons of malt and 82,000 tons of hops.

More Sugar Wanted.

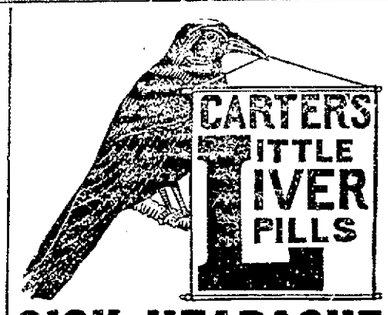
Eugene Field says that it has long been his opinion that the advocates of woman suffrage should abandon the rigorous tactics they have ineffectually used for so long a time and adopt the milder tactics of persuasion. The woman suffrage cause needs less virility and more femininity, less jaundice and more sugar. Bright eyes, pretty complexions, jaunty figures and stylish costumes are, always were, he thinks, and by God's grace always will be, more potent influences in determining the opinions and actions of men than the keenest wit and the most convincing logic.

Will Miss Pence.

The next house will miss the soaring eloquence and quick wit of Lafe Pence of Colorado, who has decided not to be a candidate for re-election. Mr. Pence won his spurs by tripping Bynum in the silver repeal debate and later was conspicuous when the Coxey horde concentrated on Washington. Mr. Pence is a lawyer, but has not allowed that fact to interfere with his being a Populist. His reason for deciding not to return seems rather odd in a Populist, however. He says he cannot live in Washington on $5,000 a year.—Chicago Times.

Wives For Australia.

A government export trade in wives has just been begun for the benefit of West Australia. A consignment of 50 young women, sound, good looking, and of good character, carefully selected, was sent from Fremantle in order to provide wives for the colonists.



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ENCOURAGING SIGNS.

They Relate to the Business Outlook and Are Seen by the Coal Barons.

At the Fifth Avenue hotel yesterday and at the Hamburg-American dock in Hoboken there was a large gathering of Leisenrings, Kemmerers, Wentzes, Righters and other "coal barons" of the Lehigh valley to say goodby to Mr. E. B. Leisenring, president of the Lehigh Coal Navigation company, whose failing health has at length caused him to lay down the immediate supervision of his vast business interests and go to Europe for recuperation and recreation.

Talking with these coal barons, I was much interested to find that they are taking a very hopeful view of the business situation and that quite apart from the fact that the great anthracite coal industry in which they are more specially interested has had more than its share of prosperity during the long season when the bituminous coal regions all over the country were blighted by a strike of most comprehensive proportions.

Mr. M. S. Kemmerer said that the most encouraging sign to his mind was the improvement in the iron industry, a branch of business closely allied to coal mining, and the two together having much to do with the general prosperity of the country. A day or two ago came an order from Brazil for the manufacture of 60 locomotives, a big thing in itself, since the building of locomotives has been practically suspended for a long while. At the Schenectady works orders from American railroads are coming in for railroad iron. At Bethlehem, where little beyond the manufacture of armor plate for the government has been going on, there is perceptible activity, and one of the great iron companies has booked more orders within the last six weeks than in the preceding six months.—M. P. Handy.

SENATORS AND BASEBALL.

Mr. Hill of New York Tells About the First Time He Met Mr. Gorman.

Senator Hill tells an interesting story about the first time he ever saw Senator Gorman. It was long before they both became famous, and the incident was not recalled until Senator Hill became a fellow senator with the Maryland leader, and it was found that both were very fond of the national game of baseball.

"It was back in the sixties," said Senator Hill, "when everybody was interested in baseball. There was a convention in New York city. The cities along the Atlantic coast attended. I was a delegate from Elmira, representing the Alerts. I remember that the president of the convention knew nothing about parliamentary law, and it was not long before we were in a tangle and with no prospect of being extricated. Then they got a little fellow in the chair who knew all about the way to handle a convention, and he soon had things running smoothly. He held them down, I tell you. I forgot who he was and never recalled until after coming to Washington, when I was talking about the meeting with Senator Gorman, and he said he was there and presided. And he was. He represented the old Nationals of Washington."

While there are other senators who enjoy baseball, none are such devotees as Senators Hill and Gorman. The Maryland senator has not found time to indulge his inclination this season, as he has been too busy getting a tariff bill through the senate, which Senator Hill has been trying to defeat. Mr. Hill attends every game played here.—Washington Letter.

Women and Learning.

Statistics collated by the regents of the University of New York shows that in the secondary schools there are 23,556 girls of academic grade and 18,242 boys. Last year more than two-thirds of the 938 honor certificates went to girls. In the colleges there are 2,923 girls and 4,043 in the professional and technical schools. Many other young women are studying law, medicine, painting and music. The United States census of 1890 gave the number of women teachers as 238,397. In their report upon these statistics the regents remark, "The remarkable development of woman's higher education is due to widespread recognition that a college course is needed as the best preparation for wifehood, motherhood and home life as much as for a professional life."

If Guilty, Forgiveness Is Assured.

The mortality among newspapers in the United States during the past 18 months has been something almost unprecedented. In New York state alone 273 newspapers suspended between June, 1893, and June, 1894. For the first time since 1869 the total number catalogued by the newspaper directory is less than for the preceding year. This is said to be due to hard times caused by the Democratic free trade panic, but this is one of the things for which that party will most assuredly be forgiven. If he who makes two blades of grass to grow where but one grew before is a benefactor of his kind, what shall be said of him who makes but one newspaper to desolate the community where there were three before?—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Kipling Story.

This capital story some one tells of Kipling as illustrating very clearly the characteristics of the vigorous English boy who was afterward to achieve such widespread fame by his pen. When a boy of 12, he went on a voyage with his father, who, becoming desperately seasick, retired to his berth, leaving young Rudyard to his own devices. Presently the poor father heard a tremendous commotion over his head, and down the companionway dashed the boatswain, three steps at a time and shouting excitedly, "Mr. Kipling, your boy has crawled out on the yardarm, and if he lets go he'll drown sure."

"Yes," said Mr. Kipling, falling back on his pillow with a sigh of relief, "but he won't let go."

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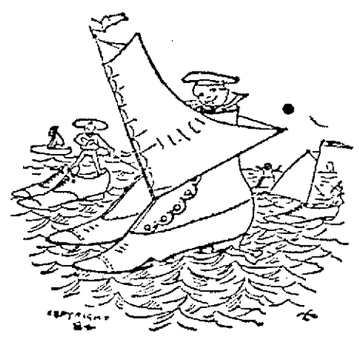

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TOO GRASPING.

The Patent Leather Shoes and the Pink Shirt Gave Him Away.

A young man who said he was a missionary about to start for that part of Africa where Mungo Park of happy memory passed most of his time called at a Brooklyn clothing store the other day and showed a letter from the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. The letter stated the missionary, asked the clothier to help him pick out a full wardrobe and to send the bill to the Y. M. C. A. The man of clothes was satisfactory, and the missionary was given the run of the shop. Among the things which he picked were one swallow-tail coat, three shirts with rose pink bosoms, one pair of button patent leather pumps, one pair of lilac gloves, two pairs of tan gloves, one silk umbrella, one sweetheart necktie, one stick and one silk hat.

"Won't you have some silk suspenders?" asked the clothier.

"Yes, I will," said the missionary.

When the purchases were made, the clothier's assistant joined Presbyterian and knowing young man of mission, said: "Say, I understood you say that you were going out to Uganda?"

"Yes, Uganda, yes."

"And may I ask what church sends you?"

"Oh, the Presbyterian church—the board of foreign missions."

The clerk felt a great heat crawling into his head as he thought: "And have I been such a chump as to give my hard earned tidbits for patent leathers and lilac kids and that sort of thing when I thought I was assisting in the conversion of the heathen? By jinks, it's strange."

When the young missionary had gone, the clerk had an interview with his employer.

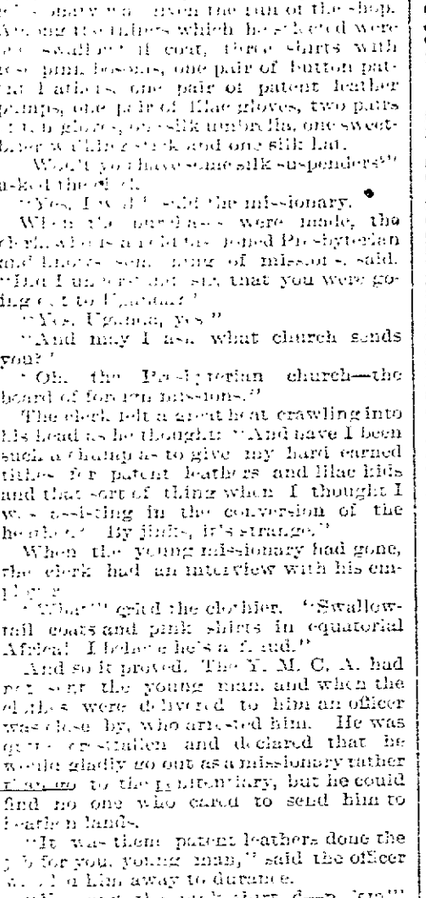
"What?" said the clothier. "Swallow-tail coats and pink shirts in equatorial Africa! I believe he's a fraud."

And so it proved. The Y. M. C. A. had put over the young man, and when the clothes were delivered to him an officer was close by, who arrested him. He was quite crestfallen and declared that he would gladly go out as a missionary rather than go to the penitentiary, but he could find no one who cared to send him to foreign lands.

"It was them patent leathers done the job for you, young man," said the officer as he led him away to durance.

"Yes, and the pink shirt, d—n 'em!" wept the youth. "Why couldn't I let well enough alone?"—Buffalo Courier.

The Small Boy and the Green Apple.



—Life's Calendar.

One Man's Sad Experience.

A gentleman living out on College street drove down to the city the other evening after his wife, and not finding her started home again.

After leaving the city he saw a lady walking along in the street ahead whom he took for his better half. Riding up to her, he said, "Get in," when she turned a strange face up to him and answered: "Thank you, sir. You look all right, but I don't know you."

He apologized and drove on, when he saw another lady walking on ahead. He said: "I've been looking for you. Will you ride home with me?" "I guess that you have made a mistake," she said as she looked up. Again he apologized.

It does not sound like fact, but he did see another woman walking home along the clay road whom he approached, saying rather tartly: "Come, wife, get in here. I've been making a fool of myself all the way up." She likewise proved a stranger, the daughter of a man living just above the fair grounds.

When the man saw a fourth woman walking in the twilight, he set his teeth, and whipping his horse into a run went by her like the wind. That woman was his wife.—Lewiston Journal.

Its Bearing.

A pale, agonized face looked down at them from the deck of the ship.

"How," asked the shrimp, "could you cause that sweet girl such embarrassment?"

The raw oyster, who had just returned to the ocean after a short detention elsewhere, smiled.

"It was the way I was brought up," he answered.

Still the pale, agonized face was looking down at them. There was no relief as yet.—Detroit Tribune.

Association of Ideas.

"Papa," asked Johnny, "do you believe there is a real, sure enough devil?"

"I don't know, Johnny," said Mr. Bellus. "I hope not. By the way, Mary," he continued, turning to Mrs. Bellus, "when your cousin Phoebe comes to visit us this fall, is she going to bring that dog of hers along?"—Chicago Tribune.

Questions of the Hour.

"I presume you funny men aim to deal with questions of the hour, do you not?"

"Oh, yes. I can safely say that there have been written no less than 5,000 jokes about the young man who does not know when it is time for him to go home."—Indianapolis Journal.

Too Light.

"De trouble wid de ladders ob success in dese nowadays," said Uncle Ebon, "am dat dey ain' strong enough in de joints. When yoh gits pasty dus ter de top, dey's li'ble ter break an drap yer."—Washington Star.

A Sure Corrective.

Wife—That new girl sleeps like a log, and I never can get her up in the morning.

Husband (struck by a bright idea)—Let the baby sleep with her.—Good News.

STATE OF NEW YORK,

Office of the Secretary of State,

ALBANY, AUGUST 4, 1894.

Pursuant to the provisions of section seven chapter six hundred and eight, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution of the state of New York will be submitted to the people of the said State, for the purpose of voting thereon at the next general election in this State, to be held on the sixth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-four.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution of this State in relation to County Judges and Court of Sessions in the county of Kings.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

Whereas, At the last session of the Legislature, the following amendment was proposed in the Senate and Assembly, viz:

Resolved (if the Senate concur). That article six of the Constitution of this state be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 32. There shall be in the county of Kings two county judges, each of whose term of office shall be six years. The county judge in office at the adoption of this amendment shall hold office until the expiration of the term for which he was elected. The additional county judge shall be elected at the general election next next after the adoption of this amendment, and his term of office shall begin on the first day of January thereafter. When the official term of any county judge of said county will expire by the efflusion of time or the disability of age, the successor of such judge shall be chosen at the preceding general election. Vacancies otherwise occuring in said offices shall be filled in the same manner as vacancies in the Supreme Court. The salary of said county judge shall be as now established by law for county judge in said county. Their powers and jurisdiction shall be co-ordinate and co-equal. One or more parts of the county court may be held in said county. The court of sessions in the county of Kings is continued with the powers and jurisdiction it now possesses, and with such additional powers and jurisdiction as may be conferred by the Legislature; it must be held by a county judge of the county, and may hold one or more parts."

And whereas, The said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature, entered on the journals, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the then next general election of senators.

And, whereas, Such election has taken place and said proposed amendment was duly published for three months previous to the time of making such choice, in pursuance of the provisions of article thirteen of the Constitution; therefore,

Resolved (if the Senate concur). That the Assembly do agree to the proposed amendment.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN SENATE, April 26, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elected voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Senate,
WILLIAM F SHEEHAN, President.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN ASSEMBLY, April 17, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the members elected to the Assembly voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Assembly,
GEORGE R. MALBY, Speaker.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. } ss:

I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution, proposing an amendment to article six of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof. (Published pursuant to chapter six hundred and eight, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, in two public newspapers in each county, in said State, representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county, as shown by the last preceding State enumeration.)

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the [L. S.] City of Albany, this fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The following are the forms of ballots to be used in voting thereon:

FOR

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to county judges and court of sessions in the county of Kings.

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

Resolved (if the Senate concur). That the sixth article of the Constitution be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 30. The Legislature, at the first session thereof after the adoption of this amendment, shall provide for the election at the general election next after the adoption of this amendment, by the electors of the first judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district; by the electors of the second judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district. The justices so elected in the first and second judicial districts respectively, shall be invested with their offices on the first Monday of January next after their election."

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JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The following are the forms of ballots to be used in voting thereon:

FOR

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

AGAINST

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

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TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

| Eastern Time. | 29 | 7 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 5 | 33 | 11 | 1 | 601 | 625 | 617 | 17 | 21 | 3 | 23 | 13 | 9 | 31 | 35 | 37 | 39 | 41 | 43 | 45 | 47 | 49 | 51 | 53 | 55 | 57 | 59 | 61 | 63 | 65 | 67 | 69 | 71 | 73 |

SHOTS HERE AND THERE.

AN "ARGUS" MAN OFF DUTY AIMS AT SEVERAL SUBJECTS.

Two Very Interesting Old Papers—An Orange County Gazette of 1813 and an Orange County Patriot of 1821—Nothing New Under the Sun—Vermont's Governor's Kick Against United States Control of Militia—A Butter Trust and a Blacksmith's Combine—Town of Goshen Census Statistics.

The ARGUS is indebted to Dr. Harvey Everett for copies of two very interesting old papers, the *Orange County Gazette and Public Advertiser* of Nov. 30th, 1813, and the *Orange County Patriot or the Spirit of 'Seventy-six*, of December 10th, 1821. Both papers were published at Goshen, the former by Elliott Hopkins and the latter by T. B. Crowell. The papers are five column sheets and contain scarcely any local news and for that matter scarcely any news of any kind, for although the war of 1812 was in progress when the *Gazette* was printed, a few lines tell the situation on the frontier and most of its columns are devoted to estimates of the British forces in Canada, to proving that although the American brig Argus was captured by His Majesty's ships Leonidas and the Pelican, the Argus got the better of the fight, and to a eulogy of Commodore Chauncey. The whole second page is surrendered to a dispute between Gov. Martin Chittenden, of Vermont, and the militia of his State. Gov. Chittenden, who seems to have been the Altgeld of that time, was in a state of mind because part of the brigade of Vermont militia had been ordered out of the State by a United States officer and "marched to the defence of a sister State (New York), fully competent for all purposes of self-defence." The Governor, who seems to have been a great stickler for State rights, had issued a proclamation commanding the militiamen to return to Vermont and the militiamen in a long reply told the Governor, in effect, that he was an old driveler, that they would not obey his order that having been called out for the defence of the Union and being part of the Army of the United States they must obey the commands of its officers. Quoting from the Governor's proclamation that they "are outside the jurisdiction or control of the executive of Vermont" they score quite a point against him by asking him how he expects to enforce his proclamation.

That there is nothing new under the sun is proved by an article in the *Gazette* in denunciation of a butter trust—a foul scheme to "engross" the butter of Orange and adjacent counties. The *Gazette's* article is rather heavy reading, but it seems to have charged in a former issue that the Bank of Newburgh was backing the trust. The Newburgh bank refused to discount, and the article in question seems to have been prepared in order that the farmers might have time to shift responsibility for the defeat of the scheme from their own shoulders to those of the "Cashier Bank in Grand Street," which has a [illegible] with the Newburgh bank that the "Cashier Bank" is the Bank of Orange County, which was a butter bank, as they were usually called, more than half a century ago. The names of the parties in the butter trust have evidently been supplied the *Gazette*, but its editor had not the nerve to print them, for they are all left blank. They are all denounced as "peace men" or Federalists, and beyond this the editor's power of vituperation apparently could not go.

They had combines in those far away days, too, for the *Gazette* contains an advertisement of a general meeting of the blacksmiths of Orange county at Col. John Tuthill's inn, Goshen, on Dec. 8th, "for the purpose of regulating their charges for smith work."

The *Orange County Patriot* surrenders six and a half columns to the address of Hector Craig, President of the Orange County Agricultural Society, made before the society Oct. 5th. Mr. Craig was extensively engaged in manufacturing at Craigsville, and like manufacturers of the present day wanted protection for the infant industry that was making him rich, and his speech was an elaborate argument to prove that the farmers of Orange county ought to willingly be taxed for the benefit of manufacturers.

The most interesting news item in [illegible] of the *Patriot* is a copy [illegible] Boudinot, a pious [illegible] Burlington, N. J., who [illegible] charitable bequests left [illegible] New Jersey Bible Society [illegible] spectacles for the [illegible] rooms, to enable [illegible] the scriptures," [illegible] Warren [illegible] the society established [illegible] of New York for [illegible] instruction of the [illegible] also publishes a [illegible] statistics of [illegible] in 1821, which [illegible] are in the town [illegible] self-evident [illegible] [illegible] music [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]